5.00 O'CLOCK.

SHAH OF PERSIA.

Entering a Shrine

to Worship.

SHOT BY AN ASSASSIN.

MAY PROVE TO BE OF MOST

MOMENTOUS CONSEQUENCE

IN EASTERN AFFAIRS.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

BERLIN, May 1.-A Teheran dispatch

shrine of Shah Abdul Azim. The aspassi-

nated Shah was born April 24, 1829, and

was crowned at Teheran in 1848. His eld-

[LATER.]

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

the shot the Shah was conveyed in a car-

riage to the palace in this city and was

promptly arrested. He is said to be

The death of the Shah was officially

MILLIONS IN IT.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 1.- Judge Acheson

decree of foreclosure against the Phile-

delphia & Reading Coal & Iron Co. The

proceedings were instituted by the Penn-

sylvania Co. for insurance on lives and

granting annuities as trustees for James

Bell and other holders of the Reading

general mortgage bonds, because of the

company's default in interest on said

bonds amounting to nearly five million

dollars. The decree orders the company to

pay the sum of \$4,986,920.40 with interest

TREASURER FOR 25 YEARS.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

Lowel, May 1.-John McAlvin, a mem-

LOCAL NEWS.

District Court.

follows: Robert Patton, assaulting his

wife, case continued.

until to-morrow.

days in the house of correction.

continued until to-morrow morning.

David Hazlett, drunkenness, released.

William Martin, an umbrell mender

runkenness, ordered to leave the city.

W. R. C. Camp Fire.

post, G. A. R., and the Sons of Veterans

The occasion will be given in honor of

the department president and the visitors

afternoon meeting will be held in Gats-

licks hall for the purpose of exemplify-

Pranco-American Club Social.

The rooms of the Franco-American

club in Boland block were filled with

members and their lady friends Thursday

to meet with them that evening.

the meeting Tuesday afternoon.

ing the work of the organization.

Peter Grady, drunkenness, released.

fromdate of decree to date of payment.

announced at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

a Sayid from Kerman.

ended by Dr. Thologan, chief physi

TEHERAN, May 1 .- Immediately after

est son, Muzafer is the heir apparent.

The Transcript.

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NEARLY ALL QUARTERS OF THE GLOBE REPRESENT-ED BY BISHOPS AND OTHER DELE-GATES.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] CLEVELAND, O., May 1-The quadrien nial conference of the Methodist Eniscopal church opened here this morning at nine o'clock. The Central Armory hall was beautifully decorated. Three thousand people were present including repre-

The venerable Bishop Bowman called the conference to order. Bishop Ninde read the 103d Psalm, Bishop Vincent read the hymn and Bishop Foster offered prayer. Rev. Wm. Burt of Rome, Italy, followed in reading the scriptures. Bishop Taylor of Africa read another hymn and Rev. Dr. Upham closed the devotional exercises of the morning with prayer.

The afternoon was largely devoted to effecting an organization and considerable excitement was caused over the discussion of methods of chosing committees.

THE BLACK PLAGUE.

Wild Excitement in China and Japan Over the Appearance of the Dread Lincase.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] San Francisco, Cal., May 1 .- The steamship Doric arrived last night from Hong Kong and Yokohama. The black plague is still prevalent at Hong Kong. of the contractors to grant a nine hours At Cauton two Europeans have been attacked by the disease. In Japan elaborate precautions are being taken to prevent the introduction of the plague. Residents of Yokohama were greatly alarmed when the Dorie left over the reported outbreak of the plague in that

The Chinese at Canton, were in a great state of excitement over an attempt to keep the canal between the foreigh set | but when it was found that the holders of tlements and the native quarter clear of preferred stock had a standing in court it lampas and fishing boats. Anonymous proclamations were posted offering rewards for foreigners heads. On April 16 a destructive fire broke out at Tateishi and 1.500 houses were harned.

SHWISH, BANG!

Gov. Merton Will Touch the Button and Four Cities will do

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] SAN FRANCISCO, May 1,-Governor Morton will touch the button Saturday night at New York and a big cannon will be discharged at Union Square, San Francisco. This will announce the opening of the electrical exposition in New York city. With the aid of the Pacific Postal Telegraph Co., Morton will be enabled to operate one of the largest circuits ever known. Cannon will be placed in public squares of St. Paul, New Orleans, Boston and San Francisco. When Morton touches the button at eight tomorrow night if plans do not fail the four cannons will be fired simultaneously.

THE BURDEN JEWELS.

Identified in the Bow Street Court London this Morning.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

LONDON, May 1.-In the Bow street police court this morning Dunlap and Turner the two men arrested on charge of stealing \$60,000 worth of jewelry from Mrs. Burden of New York were remanded for a week. Mr. and Mrs. I. Townsend Burden accompanied by Alfred Conkling Mrs. Burton Harrison and assistant district attorney Lindsay of New York arrived at Bow street at ten oclock and were immediately conducted to the extradition court where the jewelry was spread

Mrs. Burden showed great excitement but positively identified the jewelry and told the story of the great robbery. She on Page Four of this Paper.

was corroborated by Mr. Burden who said the New York detectives had not done their duty during the search for the done their duty during the search for the

PEACE IN SO. AMERICA.

Important Treaty Ratifications Between the Argentine Republic and Chili, Bolivia and Chili.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] LIMA PERU, VIA. GALVESTON, May 1-The guaranteed protocul lately decided upon between the Argentine Republic and Chili was signed today; also the treaty between Chili and Bolivia has been ratified. Under an armed truce definite terms of peace have been settled. All the former

IN CONGRESS TODAY.

Bolivian coast becomes Chilian territory.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] WASHINGTON, May 1 .- Senator Butler, Populist of North Carolina, today piosented a bill making the Mexican silver dollar and Japanese You ceach to contain 371 14 grains of pure silver and the trade dollar to be a full legal tender dollar of the United States.

The naval appropriations were taken up, the question being on the amendment offered by Senator Gorman reducing the number of battleships from four as sentatives of nearly every country on the reported to two. Without further speeches a yay and nay vote was taken resulting in the adoption of the amendment by a vote of 31 to 27.

In the House the bill providing for a Representative in Congress from Alaska was defeated by a vote of 60 to 44.

RECEIVER APPOINTED.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] BOSTON, May 1 .- R. D. Weston Smith has been appointed receiver of the Central Mutual Fire Insurance Co. A receiver was asked for on the ground that the continuance of the business must inevitably result in insolvency. The company signified its willingness to have a receiver

STRIKE IN PITTSFIELD.

PITTSFIELD, May 1,-A general strike of building trades unions has been inaugurated here on account of the refusal

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, May 1.—The market has been dull and weak from the opening with the exception of sugar which has been steady at 124.

Tobacco opened up 1-4 of a point on the news that the injunction had been denied, was sold down 2 1-2 points. The Grangers were dull and fairly

Commission houses report no orders from London whatever. It is a holiday there and this fact helps keep the market

New York Gas lost one point and L. & N. 3-4. Market now very duli. At Chicago Breadstuffs were slightly irregular but have held their price fairly

Corn was easier on poor demand. Provisions were shaded down, packers being small sellers.

New York Market.

[Clesing Quotations, 3 p. m.] Received through the office of A. M. Tinker, Room 3, Blackinton block. Executes orders for tooks and bonds, deals upon New York Stock Exchange for cash or on margin. Private tele-phone 76.

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Chicago Markets.

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Assessors to Commence Work.

until midnight.

The assessors will begin their out door work next week. Rooms have been secured in the North Adams Saving's Bank building and the assessors will be in session there Monday to receive figures from tax payers on the valuation of their

-The board of registrars organized today and H. A. Gallup was chosen chair-

-The supporters of both the Reds and the Blues are asked to assemble at the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening at 7 o'clock. -Rev. F. D. Penney will deliver an address at the annual roll call of the First Baptist church in Hoosick Falls, N. Y.,

LOCAL NEWS.

Entertainments Under the Auspices of the Men's Sunday Evening Club.

Charles F. Underhill ander the auspices of the Men's Sunday Evening club will be given at the Congregational church Saturday evening, May 2, when the sub-ject will be "The Rivals." Mr. Under-Killed This Afternoon While hill is known as one of the most talented monologue personators before the public, and in securing him for these four re citals the club has provided for entertainments far above the average quality. The recital Saturday evening will be private and admission will be by invitation cards which may be exchanged for reserved seats at the Wilson house drug store The other three, to begiven May 8, 15 and 19, will be public and price of admission will be 35 cents to each or 75 cents for the course. Mr. Underhill has the highest indorsements, among which is found the following, which is of special value

Williams College, Williamstown, Mass. Mr. Underhill has read "The Rivals" 'A Midsummer Night's Dream " in the Thompson course at Williams college, and has won deservedly high praise for the fine quality of his work. says that the Shah of Persia was shot and Bliss Perry, Professor of Elecution and killed this afternoon while entering the English, now at Princeton.

CONFESSED HIS GUILT.

The Theft of Money from the Y. M. C. A. Acknowledged

Secretary Lovejoy of the Y. M. C. A. cian and other physicians were hestily sent for. Despite their combined efforts he expired soon after their arrival, about Chief Kendall. four o'clock. The assignation was

He had procured a key to the door of Mr. Lovejoy's private office and when no one was about he unlocked the door and extracted the money from the secretary's desk which was open. He gave the names of two boys who had assisted him in spending the money.

SHOE STORE ENTERED.

of the United States Court has signed a

Officers Rosasco and Bowes found the door of Fulton's shoe store on Eagle street open at about 2 o'clock this morning. Mr. Fulton was notified and an investigation was made, but nothing was missed. One of the officers tried the door at 11 o'clock and found it locked. The two officers afterwards walked up Union street and back, and it was when they returned that

they found the door had been opened. There was a little change in the money drawer, but it was not disturbed and no goods were taken. There is no clue to the guilty person or persons.

School Site Purchased.

given were from Daniel Wells and Dr. ber of the board of aldermen and for C. W. Wright. The price of the piece of twenty-five years city treasurer, died here this morning after several months illness. only a short time. The cases in court this morning were as

To Say Goodby.

Arthur Murray, drunkenness, thirty Clarence Dennis, continued case for alleged larceny of a horse and team owned ham at the home of Miss Rose Palmer on by Charles O'Dell of Williamstown, case Chasles Kenney, dounkenness, continued while Mr. Brigham has enjoyed the intime also, and it is with much regret from these classes that they are to lose two of The Women's Relief Corps has arranged their prominent members and workers. to hold a camp fire Monday evening and has invited the members of C. D. Sanford

Extending His Travels.

Mabbett, has been located in Johannesburg, South Africa, for the past year or from the several corps, who will attend two, left that place April 1 in company with three other Americans, for a three months' trip to the Island of Madagascar. After concluding their visit they will return to Johannesburg.

Morrison's Faust. Morrison's version of "Faust" will be

evening. The occasion was a social given presented at the Columbia next Monday 3-4 by the club members and proved a vening. The drama has been toned in delightful affair. Whist and dancing occupied the attention of the gathering ble. The scenic effects which have been added with unstinted liberality and detailed care are the least noteworthy of the changes which have been effected. The entire drama, the story, the execution both scenic and histrionic, has been elevated until the lofty poetry of this great epic is made to dominate the stage and cast into its due secondary significance the spectacular, which formerly appeared unpoetically prominent. The evels on the Brocken, wherein the spectacular is dealt, has been raised from the absurd to the impressive. The entire performance has become serious and exalted. The company is an excellent one, each of whom aids in bringing the sublimely beautiful sentiment, the profound philosophy, the grandeur of the moral teaching and the lofty conception of the great German's mind into a round, full,and splendid production.

THE FIRST RECITAL.

The first of four recitals to be given by

reported to the police Wednesday afternoon some one had stolen \$4.50 from his desk and asked the officers to investigate nated in the arrest of Alvin W. Mc Dowell, 17 years old, this morning. Mc-Dowell when locked behind the steel bars broke down and confessed his guilt to

The Door was Found Open, but Nothing

The deeds of the property purchased by the school board for the site of the Braytonville school were turned over to the committee this morning. The deeds property, owned by Mrs. Homer Field. which the committee will procure has not been settled upon but the terms will be adjusted in a few days. A few minor details remain to be arranged for in the work of breaking ground will be delayed The real estate transfers were made

through Agent A. S. Alford,

A fare-well reception will be given this evening to Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Brig-Prospect street by the members of W. H. Sperry's and M. V. N. Braman's classes of the Methodist Sunday school. Mr. and. Mrs. Brigham leave Tuesday for California where they are to make their home in the future. Mrs. Brigham has been a member of Mr. Sperry's class for several years structions of M. V. N. Braman for some

Anthony Affhauser, who, with A. W.

AMUSEMENTS.

TELEGRAPH.

It Will Add to the Efficiency of Our Police Service.

SOME FEATURES OF THE SYSTEM

The Officers Will Have to Attend to Business. Must Report Regularly or Explain. Can Call Patrol Wagon or Ambutance, Storage Battery.

The Gamewell police telegraph system,

which will soon be in operation in this

city in accordance with the vote of the

council Tuesday evening, will place North Adams in the front rank so far as facilities of this kind are concerned. The system has been carefully investigated and compared with others. It is believed to be the best and will be put in here in the most thorough manner. Covered copper wire will be used for the circuit, and this is something that is used in very few places. It is far superior to common wire and will greatly increase the value of the service. There will be sixteen telephone boxes station a fast or slow wagon or the ambulance by the use of certain signals, or they can talk with the chief. By fast or slow sistance by team. In case of emergency | silently away in the impressive manner in sent around, but no one will break his neck to save a second of time.

There is another thing in connection with the system which will have a tend omitting this part of his duty may be that graced and dignified it. asked to explain. A record is also made when the call is for the patrol wagon or complete knowledge of the whereabouts and doings of the officers day and night. When this system is established a

storage battery will be set up to supply the current for both this and the fire alarm system. The battery will probably be loaded from the electric light station, furnish power in case of accident to the other machinery.

The system will be under the care of Manager Stedman, who has handled the fire alarm since it was adopted about eight years ago, and who will see that the city has a service second to that of no

The Hospital Basket.

The Saturday basket for the hospital was filled for the month of April as follows: Saturday, April 4, Mrs. C. Q. Richthree cans soup, two cans salmon, two packages pettyjohn, two packages wheat flakes, two packages macaroni, one bottle olives, parsnips, three heads lettuce, cranherries, two dozen oranges: Saturday, April 11, Mrs. Frank Richardson, roast beef, spinach, onions, turnips, two cabbages, four heads lettuce, four packages, again in any important way. It seems t crushed oats, one package hominy, one bottle symp, two dozen eggs, two soup, two cans cocoa; Saturday, April 18, Mrs. N. H. Arnold, roast beef, two packages macaroni, paranips, two cans beaus, four cans soup, two cans clam chowder, six packages shredded wheat, two pack. ages rolled oats, two packages corn starch, rice, one box codfish, four glasses jelly ons, oranges; Saturday, April 25, Mrs. T. W. Sykes, filled the basket very

acceptably. Other donations, Mrs. F. E. Swift, five night shirts, six dress shirts; Congregational church, two potted caster lilies; Busy Bees, one dozen eggs; J. H. Cody April 17, twelve loaves bread; April 18, twelve loaves bread; a friend, Harper's Weeklies; a friend, three dozen eggs; Burdett Rawlinson, reciped bill of \$4.50.

"THE MIDNIGHT BELL."

One of the Events of the Scason as Given Last Night.

Those who were at the Columbia opera house last evening had a delightful time as we had predicted they would. "The Midnight Bell" is totally different from Hoyt's other comedies. It is a nearer approach to legitimate comedy than anything else he has attempted and it must satisfying thing he has ever produced. It is particularly well adapted for a "road piece" as it has such a well balanced ningling of fun, story, love and pathos as to be sure of pleasing almost every variety

of tasto in a general audience. Digby Bell was superb as the pompour grand high muck-a-muck of his rural New England community. There was a touch of "Joshua Whitcomb" in his "Deacor Tidd," but only a touch not an imitation enough similarity perhaps to suggest that Whitcomb and Tidd might be neighbors and friends and would certainly be very comical rivals for popularity among the fair ones in sewing societies and at village

His acting of course was artistic and was rarely exaggerated, though in the really strong and touchingly pathetic scene of located about the city at suitable points. the clergyman's firewell in the old orgun From these the police can call from the loft of the church, Deacon Tidd would have won a much more tender regard from his audience, which was just obtain ing a new glimpse of a beautiful side of wagon is meant speedy or leisurely as the quaint character, if he had gone the fast wagon is called and the order is which he had turned from the wronged responded to in the shortest possible time, clergyman, instead of marring it all with while if the slow wagon is called it will be an unnecessarily loud burst from his demonstrative nose, like that which migh issue from a cracked trombone. One of the prettiest scene: of the eve-

ning was the dainty and original little ency to promote faithfulness on the part love making between the pert but captiof officers. The officers will be obliged to vating "Dot" the ministers sister, Miss call at the boxes regularly and give a sig- Sadie L. Handy, and the city lawyer, nal which will denote that they are at- Herman Hersbberg. Their little "diamond tending to business. When this signal is | cut diamond" talk, cleverly done too pulled the number of the box and the with the gentle but manly welcome and time it was pulled will be recorded auto- blessing of the clergyman brother, Albert matically in the office of the chief of po-lice and in the mayor's office, and if the the play, formed a most artistic contrast, signals are not given when due the officer and were among the features of the play Laura Joyce-Bell as the old maid did

not have a part quite worthy of her abili the ambulance, so the mayor and the ties but she made the most of it, though it chief of police may have at all times a was terribly hard for this charming actress the embodiment of cheeriness to make of herself the cruel gossip and hard hearted dictator in skirts that her part called for. But after all her inability to restrain her natural merriment was captivating and enlivened the stage in ever scene even in the touching one in the but a water motor will be provided to old church; the scenery for which by the way had to be made up from a kitcher scene and depicted incongruous bottles on a shelf over the supposed church door.

Pretty Miss Perry as the school teacher Cullington as the squire, Clarke as the suspect, Corey as the villian and Redway as the broken voiced boy were all good Redway being one of the original and taking characters of the evening. To some of us who had been accustomed to see Digby Bell in his famous work in such operas as "Patience," "Olivette" and The Black Hussars" it was a disappointment not to have even one soug from him He was not the same Digby last night, but perhaps to most people he would be called even a better Digby than

And by the way, why wasn't that rehearsal scene in the church made pe feet by some good music? It was rather tantalizing to hear such a splendid quartet in the third act and then not to hear it us that a rare opportunity was missed in the last act, when there might have appropriately been given and was not, some of the sweet old church music that 12 would have touched the audience just | 25 " then very tenderly and gratefully.

A New Pirm.

The store in the Daily block, 5 Eagle st, has been leased by M. Granate & Co., of Holyoke, dealers in custom made gowns, suitings and furs. The firm has large stores in Helyoke and Bridgeport, Conn.

The Williams-Hurvard ball game at Williamstown tomorrow will begin at 2 o'clock, instead of 2.30, as at lirst an-

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sknow not what record of sin awaits me in the (if er world; but this I do know, that I never was s mean es to despise a man because he was poor cenuse h uas ignorant, or because he was black. -John A. Andrew.

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TO MR. RECD'S FRIENDS.

Reed's triends to be cool, to be hopeful, it is said, even a greater success than was to be nom. The news from Vermont and auticipated by the most enthusiastic mem-Illinois brought the greatest danger to Mr. Reed's candidacy, not in the mere num- profits from these entertainments will be ber of delegates added to the McKinley column, but in its possible effect upon his supporters. Any wavering now will ularly established hospitals throughout be fatal to the presidential chances of the Massachusetts, looking to the making of great man from Maine. Firmness and contracts for the care of sick or disabled hopefu ness at this critical time, high trust in the great leader of the Republican party, may be the turning point that Royal Archama Hospital Association, will yet culminate in Mr. Reed's victory thus disseminating good all over the State. at St. I ours.

care to keep their heads at this time when comm, 175 Fremont St., Boston. the time seems to be setting so strongly for McKinley. It is often darkest just before the dawn.

Republican quarters,-the spirit of petu-Kinle, 's successes. Discredit of Mr. Me-Kinley and a spirit of belittling the Ohio man is apparent. Seemingly because of his victories, he is being subjected to taunt og criticism, and that, too, by certain Republican leaders and newspapers. This is poor politics. It is hurting Mr. Reed's prospects more than it is hurting Mr. McKinley. And it is for this reason. If M: Reed is to be nominated it will not be till after McKinley's great following at St. Louis is satisfied that the Ohio man is beaten. Then, the second choice of the McK.uley men would absolutely dictate the choice of the nominee. This support must be gained by the candidate who is to be successful after McKinley. Mr.

Reen must have this support to win. Now, then what is good politics for the Reed men at this time? To be bitter, and sour, and crabbed because of a few signal McKinley victories before the convention, and so create a bitterness between the Reed men and McKinley men, which would prevent the McKinley forces coming to Mr. Reed in any event? Is this good politics?

O: is the wise and discreet plan to remember that harsh criticism of any great Republican leader is poor party ethics at all times? to remember that New England wants and must have (to be success ful the good will of the McKinley men. and so, by good nature, by fair conduct, by keeping back any unkind or querulous or uncalled for criticism of the Ohio man and his friends make it easy for the McKinley forces to swing into the Reed column? Isn't this good politics for Mr.

Read's friends? The fact is, if Mr. McKinley cannot meet all comers and a combined opposi tion at St. Louis, he cannot be nominated. The history of national conventions shows that this teat has been very rarely accomplished by any candidate. Mr McKinley will find it difficult to accomplish. In ease he tails, the natural drift, the logical drift of his strength should be directly to Mr. Read. The two men's names are linked closely with the same great principles, together they have carried through congress the great tariff measures of the Republican party, they have been and are personal friends,-Mr. Reed appointing his present rival to the leadership of the

house in the fifty-first congress. With these facts clearly before Mr. Reed's friends, there is one course to be avoided most scrupulously, one danger to guard against most strenuously-the creatin of the least feeling of bitterness toward Mr. Reed in the McKinley camp. The avoidance of any harshness at this time. Mr. Reed's friends can work as hard for him in generous, open, free-forall spirit, as in any other, and to better

The fellowers of Mr. Reed with his splendid record, with his reputation of personal and mental torce even above that or his rival's with the history of his unequaled service to his party on the floors of Congress, should not be vexed into an unwise course by the present McKinley victories. Pursuing a broad-gauged plan o. campaign and with undaunted courage to their favorite, the followers of Mr. Reed may yet strongly hope that in the Various chances of a great convention, Republican party at St. Louis will find it most expedient to turn to the man from Maine to lead the Republican party in a national campaign as they have known him so wisely to lead the party at Washington. And this event is only possable on condition that no bitterness be engendered among the followers of rival

o indidates. NOT WORTH PUBLISHING.

Probably the most extensive system of official lying and decent in existence has its headquarters with the Spanish authorities at Havana. With absolute censor ship of every Cuban newspaper and control of every means of sending as well as gathering news in Cuba, the Spanish offiials are trying to throw dust in the eyes of the whole world as to the real situation there. The Spanish government supports at Havana the most gigantle bureau for the dissemination of lies and falsehoods that exists. The Russian Coar's censor

The news that comes from Havana (not Key West) is not generally worth the paper it covers. The dispatches monotonously and invariably read something like this: "The Spanish general Marin Delego has met and routed a column under Macco at Gualamayo. The rebels lost 73 killed, a great number of wounded and many arms. The Spanish had three wounded, one seriously." Columns of just such dispatches have come into the TRANSCRIPT office and keep coming. We promtly consign these Weyler lies every afternoon to the waste backet.

We may judge of the truthfulness of these Spanish-concocted dispatches by the record of news sent out from Cuba by the Spanish authorities in the previous Cuban war, 1868-78. During that struggle a careful account was kept of the Cubar losses officially reported by the Spanish MATED PRESS THE TRANSCRIPT has At the end of the war the totals were the exclusive facilities for this locality of 395,856 killed, 726, 490 wounded and 451,100 the greatest American and foreign news | prisoners-a grand total of 1,573,446. And the entire population of the island was only 1,250,000!

Spanish Cuban desputches are not worth publishing. Moreover, we do not call the patriots of Cuba, "rebels." We hope and pray for the success of their cause, and it is to our country's shame that the awful record of pillage and crime and cruelty continues in the fair island of Cuba.

Members of the Royal Arcanum will take a deep interest in the undertaking of hospital work for that organization in this state. in this connection the theatri-FRIDA AFTERNOON, MAY 1, '96. cals for the benefit of the Royal Arcanum Hospital Association, which are to be given every evening and Saturday afternoon of the week beginning May 18, in It is emphatically the time for Mr. Tremont Theatre, Boston, promise to be, bers of the order. It is hoped that the sufficiently large to allow the Association to begin negotiations at once with the regmembers of the Royal Arcanum, the ex pense of such care to be borne by the Information of any expecting to attend Let the friends of Mr. Reed take good can be obtained by addressing Royal Ar-

I e evident petulance and ill temper created because of McKinley's triumphs in Vermont and Illinois, as shown by cause is now showing itself in certain lance and ill-temper because of Mr. Meinterest. Jawing and sputtering at McKinley's present spurt will not make friends for Mr. Reed where he most needs them-in the McKinley camp. There should be no bitterness on the part of Reed men toward McKinley men, if Mr. Reed is to win. Leave the easy road open for McKinley men to turn in when the Ohio man's chances have lessened and his followers are seeking a new

THE EDITOR'S SHEARS.

FOR TODAY.

OUR COTTAGE.

Our cottage has but tenants four—my wife, my son and I and a half human shepherd dog that

money cannot buy. The furniture is old and quaint, and in a rustic loom

Were blent the rays of many hues that carpets every room.

But, humble though the dwelling be, there's peace and love within. And in the blessed air without no taint of

city din. Let vulgar ostentation play in gilded halls its part,

Our house a palace is for me—a palace of

Although I am inured to work and tanned a russett brown. would not cringe to any king that ever

And as I fill these freeman's lungs with wholesome mountain air I envy not the sons of pomp their fashion

'Tis said "Fine feathers make fine birds' If so not such are we:

Our plumage though not rough or coarse is plain as plain can be. No French modistes their calling ply

among our rugged hills; No tailors tithe our modest means with purce depleting bills. We care not for the price of stocks, not

if they fall or rise, And white lipped Panic comes not near our rustic paradise.

We have enough for all our needs, b cause our needs are few, and, natving all who false lives lead, we try to lead the true.

- W R. Barber in New York Ledger. WHEN THE CARPET'S UP.

Tack-, tacks, tacks, On the cold gray bedroom floor. And I would that my tongue dare utter

The thoughts that in me roar, O, well for the bachelor free, As he spoons 'neath the gaslight dim, That he cannot look shead and see

The tacks which are waiting for him. But my stately wife sleeps on In her haven under the quilt,

With never a thought in her innocent Of the tacks she carelessly spilt

Tacks, tacks, tacks, At the foot of the folding bed

Are some of the joys that house-cleaning time Brings to the man that is wed.

-Chicago Record.

G. A. R. Benevolent Association.

The annual meeting of the G. A. R. Benevolent Association of North Adams will be held in Gatslick's hall Monday evening. The election of officers will be held in accordance with the provision of the charter, that the annual meeting and election of officers shall be held the first Monday in May.

Garbage Men Appointed.

The heard of health has awarded the contract for garbage gathering to Buck and Ketchem. The specifications and regulations governing the collecting of refuse for the city this year will be rigidly enforced. Any neglect on the part of the garbage men to fulfill their duties should ship and coloring of news reports is mild be immediately reported to the board of

Fitchburg Railroad. Corrected Dec. 15, 1895.

Leave North Adams going East—11.37, 15.18, 7.23, 9.58, 11.44 a. m.; 2.22, 14.10 c2.60 p. m. West—7.50, 10.08 a. m.; 12.20, 1.34, 6.00 18.85, 11.45, c2.39, c7.40 p. m.

Trains Arrive from East—10.08 a. 39.; 12.10, 1.24, 5.00, 18.05, 11.40, 02.39 p. m.

Beston & Albany Railroad. Trains Leave North Adams, Going South—8.20, 8.35 a. m.; 12.15, 2.00, 4.85 p. m.

Arrive from Bouth—8.20 a. m.; 12.95, 2.35, 5.50, 9.10 p. m. Hoosac Valley Street Railway.

ADAMS LINE.

Leave North Adams—8.10, 7, 7.45, 8.39, 9.15, 1) 10.45, 11.30 a. m.; 12.15, 1, 1.45, 2.90, 8.15, 4, 445, 5.39, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 8.39, 9.15 p. m. 10 to Zylomto only. Leave Adams - 6.50, 6.10, 7, 7.45, 8.30, 9.15, 10, 10.45, 11,30 a. m., 12,15, 1.1,45, 2.30, 3.15, 4.45, 6.30, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 8.39, 8.16 p. m. McColock to Zylonne only

Esturday and Bunday afternoons, heave each and at 1, 1:20, 1:45, 2:45, 2:30, 2:53, 3:15, 3:55, 4, 4:29, 4:45, 5:05, 5:30, 5:55, 6:15, 7, 7:20, 7:45, 3:05, 8:30, 8:56, 8:15, 4:55, 10, 10:20 p. m. 10, 10:20 to Zylonita dule

Sunday cars will be run to suit nonvenience of Church attendents.

WILLIAMSTOWN LINE. Leave North Adams—6, 7, 7.45, 8.30, 9.15, 10, 12.45, 11.36 a, m.; 12.15, 12.25, 1, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.16, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.16, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45, 9.10, 15 p. m. Williamstown—7, 7.45, 8.30, 9.15, 10, 10.45, 11.39 a.m.; 12.15, 1, 1.39, 2, 2.30, 8, 3.39, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 8.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 3.30, 10, 11 p.m.

Cars leave Blackinton at 6.30 g. m. for both North Adams and Williamstown. North Adams and Williamstown.
Saturday and Sunday afternoons and evenings, commencing at 1 o'chook, cars leave each end o't the line every twenty minutes.
Cars reach Blackinton twenty minutes after leaving either end of the line.
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Stages.

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NORTH ADAMS AND READSBORO. J. E. FAULKNEEL Propriesor. Leave Post Office, North Adams, 1.89 p. m. Leave Post Office, Readaboro, 8 a. m.

THIS EVENING'S EVENTS.

Prize speaking contest at Columbia opera touse under the auspices of the Kappa Phi Al Y, M. C. A. membership contest celebration at

Leap-year social by Doring's dancing class at Pythian ball,

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

-Dr. G. L. Rice and Dr. C. J. Curran will be the attending physicians at the hospital during the months of May and June.

-Work on the railroad bridge near State street is progressing well, but it will take about three weeks more to finish the

-One of the local dentists reports rather a singular incident. An elderly Church street resident of 82 years of age made the first visit of her life to a dental chair vesterday afternoon. -Truckman A. G. Formhalse bas

bought a new wagon of the style used in cities for moving planes, organs, furniture, etc. It is handsomely painted and lettered and is an ornament to the streets. -Bruce Brotherston, employed at the

Arnold Print works fell down an elevator shaft Thursday afternoon but escaped injury otherwise than a severe shaking up and numerous bruises. He was taken to the hospital. -The social and dance given by the

Ladies' Aid society of the Father Mathew society in Columbia hall Thursday evening was attended by about fifty couples, who passed an enjoyable evening. Browne and Messier furnished music and refresh. All the rest of the time Mr. Barnes has in addition thereto the pension fund ments were served during intermission.

open-air concerts in June. The place where the concerts will be given this year has not yet been selected. The band is in excellent condition. It will play on Memorial day, at the Grand Army fieldday July 4 and is engaged to play for the Hoosac Valley fair.

-The third new fire alarm boxes that have just been put up are numbered and located as follows: 121, South Church street near the normal school; 123, Ashland street near E. J. Cary's; 124, corner of Bracewell avenue and North Holder street. A new fire alarm card will soon be issued, as there are now several numbers

which are not on the card. -The work of putting Cole's grove in order for the season is finished and applications for the use of the grove for pleasure parties are already being received. The grave will be open to public inspection Saturday afternoon and Sunday. The restaurant will be open and ice cream and soda will be obtainable. The regular opening will not take place till the

weather is warmer. -Fayette Northrup is haudling some good young horses these days. He has thirteen which were recently brought from Granville, N. Y., and one from Adams. He keeps them in the barn on the fair grounds and gives them daily exercise on the track or about the city. All are well-bred animals and some of them are showing speedy qualities. There are three matched pairs in the lot.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

A. Carrier of Quebec lett the city Wednesday, being summoned home by his father. His place on the concert program of May 12 will be taken by an

equally fine planist. Dr. W. F. McGrath returned from Schaghticoke, N. Y., Thursday accom-panied by his sister, Miss Anna McGrath, who has been taken ill at her home in that city for several weeks,

E. W. Todd a graduate of Bliss business college has accepted a position in the office of Burlingame & Darby's hardware store.

day Afternoon Whist club this afternoon at her home on Holbrook street. Mrs. E. B. Carpenter of Quincy street returned last night from a few days' visit

Mis. W. M. Hodge entertained the Fri-

with relatives at Schaghticoke, N. Y. M. H. Toomey is spending a few days at the home of his parents at Greenfield. Miss Anna Lawlor of North Eagle street has returned from a visit of several weeks at the home of her sister in New York

SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS.

An Order of Importance to Depositors in Savings Banks.

The Massachusetts Savings Bank Com missioners have issued an order to all sav ngs banks in the state that hereafter no interest can be paid on deposits of less than three months standing. The order really amounts to a notice that a law of 1894 relating to dividends must hereafter be strictly conformed with in this respect. Heretofore many savings banks, among them our own local banks, in their desire to accommodate depositors have permitted a few days of grace, as it were, in which deposits could be made after the first day of the quarter and draw interest for that quarter.

This has been a great accommodation to the depositors and oftentimes a means of important saving. It has also been a convenience to the banks in transacting their ousiness, especially because it did not crowd such an enormous amount of work into the first day of the quarter as will now be required. The effect of the new order will be that hereafter deposits in the North Adams savings bank must be made on or before January 1. April 1. July and October 1 in order to draw interest during the quarters of which these dates are the commencements. In the Hoosac savings bank the dates on or before which leposits must be made to earn interest in in the same way are March 1, June 1, September 1 and December 1. As the order is to be strictly complied with by all savings banks in the state hereafter it is of importance to depositors that they bear it in mind.

CONCERT AND DRAMA

Given Under the Auspices of Lincoln Camp, Sons of Veterans.

The concert given in Odd Fellows' hall Thursday evening under the auspices of of the debt since Aug. 31, 1865, of the Lincoln Camp, Sons of Veterans, was \$656,992,226,44, which was \$223,144,enjoyment to about 250 persons.

The proceeds of the entertainment are to be given into the G. A. R. building fund and the members of the camp are pleased to be able to contribute quite a in 1887, and after every possible obligalittle sum. The musical program was tion had been provided for the sum of arranged by David Robert's and the best local talent took part. The program was treasury, which every day grows larger. made up of solos, tries and selections by a A careful estimate shows that this sum quartet. The following participated to the delight of the audience: Mrs. Albert Hawkins, Mrs. Albert Whitham, Mrs. Mabel White Wellington, Mrs. Frank Smith, Miss Heeney, Albert Whitham, Maurice Phillips, Louis Gordon, Arthur Hewitt and James Chambers. Clapp's orchestra also gave a number of choice selections.

A patriotic sketch entitled "Stand by the Flag" was given by several of the members of the Sons of Veterans and as amateur acting the performance was very creditable.

After the entertainment the seats were emoved and the hall was soon filled with dancers, who had entire possession of the ficor until after midnight.

THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY.

Has Done Business in One Store for Thirty Years,

Today L. M. Barnes, the jeweler, entered upon his thirty-first year of business in the same store in the Wilson block. Thirty years is a long time for a man to be in business, and to be located in the same store all that time is quite remarksble, especially in a place where growth and change have been so marked as in

North Adams. When Mr. Barnes, who had been in business a short time, moved into the act." Wilson block he had as a partner A. H. 1870 Mr. Barnes' father-in-law, William Burton, took an interest in the business and remained until 1884, when he retired, manner that has given him the confidence

of the public to an unusual degree. Great changes have taken place in North Adams and in the ways of doing business since Mr. Barnes began his career thirty years ago, but through all these changes he has held to his original plan of straightforward methods and square dealing, which has given him a secure place in the ranks of the reliable and prosperous business men of this hustling young city.

THE WOMEN'S TENS.

A Pleasant Time was Enjoyed at Their Monthly Meeting.

The Women's Tens of the Baptist church held their regular monthly meeting Wednesday evening in the Baptist chapel. Miss May Dewolfe presided at the piano and the meeting was opened with the usual devotional exercises, after which the minutes were read by Mrs. T. H. Vincent and followed by a musical and literary entertainment. There were recitations by Mrs. Willard Gallup, Mrs. O. S. Miner, Misses Lydia Pierce, Holen Lathrup, Bessie and Nettie Mabbett. Rev. F. D. Penny contributed a vocal sesection and Mrs. Arthur Porter gave a piana solo.

After the evening's entertainment had een given Mrs. G. M. Darby read a letter of encouragement to the Tens concerning their good work in the past and the hope of better work in the future. Refreshments were served and the occasion was very pleasant to all who attended.

High Praise,

Gwilym Miles sang in Trenton, N. J., last Thursday night and the local press teemed with praises. One extract says: "We never heard his equal, and we have had Duftt Heinrich, Watkin's Mills, Babcock and Beresford, but Gwilym Miles beats them all. He received triple recalls and the house fairly rose to him on his final number." Mr. Miles sings here May 12.

Forty Hours Devotion.

The annual service of Forty Hours Devotion will be held in Notre Date church Tuesday and Wednesday of next week The services will commence at 8 c'lock Tuesday morning with solemn high mass and will close Thursday morning with a service at 9 o'clock. Several priests from Adams, Pittsfield and other places are expected to be present and take part in the

SOME PLAIN FACTS.

REVIEW OF DEMOCRATIC MANAGE-MENT OF THE TREASURY.

National Prosperity Bas Always Followed the Adoption of the Protection Policy. Free Trade Efforts Ever Accompanied by Disaster-Finances Failing. The report of the secretary of the

treasury for 1865 stated that on the 31st of October, 1865, the public debt, without deducting funds in the treasury, amounted to \$2,808,549,437.55. Of this sum \$1,144,072,100 was in 10-40 5 per cent and 5-20 6 per cent bonds, Pacific railroad 6 per cents, due in 1881, and 5 per cents, due in 1871, 1874 and 1880. the remainder being in temporary loans. treasury notes, compound interest notes. 7 20 notes and United States notes, one, two and three year notes and fractional CUTTORICY.

The finance reports for 1868 state that \$2,505,202,516.94.

total decrease of the public debt from March 1, 1869, to Dec. 1, 1871, was \$227,211,892.16. During the same period the annual interest had been reduced \$16,741,436.04.

In the finance reports for 1878, on page 28, we find the following: "The country has exported during the 20 years ending with the last fiscal year gold and silver to the extent of more than \$1,000,000,000 over and above the mount imported."

The finance reports for 1876, Scoretary Morrell, show that on June 30, 1876, including accrued interest, less bonds is-sued to the Pacific railrow companies and less cash in the treasury, the public debt was \$2,099,439, 444.94, a reduction very successful affair and furnished 011.07 more than was absolutely re-

quired by the sinking fund. In his report for 1887 Secretary Manning said: "The grand total of \$127,-612,850 of 3 per cent bonds were retired \$55,258,701,19 surplus was still in the will be increased to \$140,000,000 at the end of this fiscal year under the operation of the present tariff and appropriation laws.'

Secretary Manning further estimated that "the revenues by June 30, 1890, with the surplus revenue of 1889 and the surplus already accumulated, would be \$228,000,000, which might be used in the next 13 mouths for the purchase

of interest bearing debts." This report was the last one made under Mr. Cleveland's first administration. and this showing was due to a Republican senate that would not reduce the duties on foreign imports, which a Dem-

ocratic house had tried to secure. In his report for 1889 Secretary Win-"The cash balance in the treasury, over and above all accrued liabilities, at the close of 1889 was \$71,-484,042.89. If to this balance there be added the estimated surplus for the current fiscal year, the amount that could be added to the purchase of bonds to June 80, 1890, will be \$163,484,042.

Secretary Foster in his first report made the following statement: "The total reduction of the public debt, including amounts applied to the sinking fund, since Aug. 31, 1865, when the debt was at its highest point, aggregated \$1,914,. 405,107.85, or \$990,510,681.49 more than was required by the sinking fund

From the time the war closed in Au-Sanford, who died in less than a year. In gust, 1865, to the close of Benjamin 1870 Mr. Barnes' father-in-law. William Harrison's administration, a period of 28 years, the public debt was reduced at an annual average of \$75,528,758, and conducted the business alone, and in a had been increased from about \$16,347,-856 to \$134,588,052. The total interest bearing debt, as given by Secretary Foster, was on Aug. 81, 1865, \$2,881,530, 294.96; on Ang. 31, 1892, it was only \$585,029,830. According to these figures the interest bearing debt had been reduced \$1,796,500,964.96 during 28 years under protection. Although the pension law called for from \$130,000,000 to \$134,000,000 annually from the treasury, yet President Harrison was able to reduce the public debt more than \$61, 000,000 yearly during his entire admin-

istration. This was the condition of the treasury at the time of the election in November,

1892

In the monthly statement of the public debt issued for the month of February, 1896, Secretary Carlisle makes the outstanding interest bearing debt of the government on March 1, 1893, \$585, 034.260; on March 1, 1896, \$822,615, 170. From these figures, furnished by Secretary Carlisle himself, the public interest bearing debt has increased \$237,580,910 between March 1, 1893, and March 1, 1896, an annual average of \$79, 193, 636, and for this amount the president and secretary have sold ... home and foreign bondholders 414 pri cent interest bearing bonds, which re t for 30 years. According to the report enue of \$69,805,260.58. Undoubted's the president will be compelled to self as many bonds during the last year his term as he has for the year past which will make an average increase of the bonded debt during his entire term of about \$80,000,000 a year. Under a protective tariff the public

debt was reduced over \$75,000,000 anaually for 28 years, while under the Wilson-Gorman tariff bill Cleveland and Carlis'e have increased the bonded debt about \$80,000,000 a year. These figures clearly show the difference between protection and low tariff, but unfortuuntely for the people the effect of this latter policy has been far more disastrous to the industries of the country than it has been to the revenues of the Dr. E. P. MILLER. government.

King Menelek has adopted a Monroe doctrine for Abyssinia and seems to be en-forcing it.—Pittsburg Chronicle - Tele-

The unlucky war which Italy has or hand in Abyssinia is costing the country dear. Fortunately for Italy, the king him-self is a man who does not easily lose his head -Providence Journal.

BORN.

Our Assortment of mouldings is

In thus city, April 24, a daughter, Merrillah rene, to Mr. and Mrs. Wells A. Walker.
At Saratoga Springs, N. Y., April 14, a son to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Tinney, formerly of this city,

Jeweler Higley is showing a fine assort ment of Blouse sets at 50c.

Wells' pionic grounds and pavillion on the East road between the Beaver and Briggsville. Ice-cream and summer 25 Cobbler Rockers drinks for sale.

"Blood is the life" and for cleaning and | 25 Silk Rockers purifying the blood and building up the system "Wyoming Cordials" has no su

perior. Mrs Crowell of Union street says, "I have used "Wyoming Cordial" and have never found anything that has benefited me so much, and I cannot say too much in its praise." Sold only by

G. A. HASTINGS. éod 76 Main street.

Marvelous Results

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondville, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost The finance reports for 1868 state that the debt, less cash in the treasury, was I was pastor of the Baptist church at River Junction she was brought down The reports for 1671 state that the with Pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trul bottles free at Burlingame & Darby's Drug Store, Regular size 50c, and \$1.00 1

HELP WANTED.

Hright onergetic men to canvass for a Tea co. none but heatlers need upply Call or address W. H. Roland, 15 Annold Place.

i middle-aged woman to do chamber work and asset in the care of children. Apply at 9 Chestnut street, French girl to do housework. Inquire Rene Le Boeuff. Blackinton, Mass.

Llaundress. Must be thoroughly competent, Inquire at the Wilson.

Elderly women wanted to help do housework for a man and wife. Goo Haley, Sweet's Corners An experienced woman to do housework. Apply at 10 hast Quincy street.

i woman to keep house for an elderly man and son, inquire at 77 Mans et, Room 3, middle agod woman to do general housework in a small family. Inquire at 51 Hiscowell ave.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

A girl would like to do housework. Call at 29 Houghton st. By a young girl to take the of a child and assist in light housenors. I nature at 60 Center st.

By a young man of experience, a position in a Clothing or a Gents Purnishing goods store one having I years experience, can come well recomended. Address Drawer 51 Hartford

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Board of Health.

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W. G. CADY, Chairman, JAS. E. HUNTER, GEO. W. CHASE.

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SUBURBAN NEWS. Happenings of Interest in Our

Neighbor Towns.

AT ADAMS TODAY,

A Greylock Pulpit--Firemen's Banquet-Memorial Building

-- Licenses Granted -- Another Strike-Hose Pipe Extension--New. Business Ventures --

Notes.

"A GREYLOCK PULPIT." Engraving A Novel System to be Started by Rev.

A. B. Penniman. Rev. Alfred B. Penniman, pastor of the Congregational and Institutional church is endeavoring to effect the weekly publication of his sermons and should his efforts terminate in success, the circular will make its first appearance in July. Mr.

Penniman in a circular just issued gives

these reasons for his departure : "There are many reasons which have led me to brave the obstacles in the way of publishing this series of sermons. .Surrounded as I am, with extensive machinery for what is called Institutional church work,' I desire to emphasize by every possible means the regal inspiration which should come from the living and spoken truth. Having already in use a somewhat elaborate order of worship, multiplied organizations, a parish house with gymnasium and amusement rooms, a young men's literary society, all good channels or side channels for energy, the pulpit may as a herald, speak to the alien or indifferent life of the community and induce interest by means of the impersonal page. In the brief time alloted to the ermon there is much condensation, which is not in vain, if opportunity for review or slow reading be given the people by a plan of this kind. I see a further reason in the opportunity to receive old friendship. One who has changed his residence, whether it be to exchange the old homestead for the day. Their places have not yet been filled. college or college for the world, or one church or town for another, whatever his gains, must keenly feel the loss of separation. Perhaps my sermons may be a long, rough pole, by means of which I can save a drowning friendship. Audiences preach more than preachers. A to the town. They decided upon the plot sympathetic reading as well as, an appreciative listening interest ought to inspire

esponsibility." Mr. Penniman intends to make the title of his publication "A Greylock Pulpit," and in so doing, gives the following very pretty cescription of the mountain peak:

the preacher to do better or take less

"Please note that the series is christened not "The" but "A Greylock Pulpit." The Title was not conceitedly chosen, but rather forced upon me by Greylock mountain itself. The base begins beneath my study and rises to a height of 4000 feet of beauty and strength. On a clear day five states, New York, Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts and Connecticut can be seen from this summit. Greylock is Berkshire's Mount Zion. If "mountainers are always freeman," mountain preachers ought to be free preachers. This Taconic mountain has been the object of much contention among geologists. However, their polemic was of the last decade. Theological strife is also happily passing and the church of today has begun in earnest the study of sociology. Greylock has lately been made a type by geologists. The churches of our valley are conforming to a higher type shown also in the same mount. Please stand a moment on the mountain top with me, Yonder is Stockbridge, the exile home of Jonathan Edwards and the birthplace of his most distinguished i "We must go on converting men." Over Hopkins on one end of it, and Garfield on the other. Personality is almost everything. Down there is Lenox, and an old tree called the "Elm Queen," beneath whose graceful branches rested a hero, late in the fitties, before slavery demanded

a group of boys under a baystack to lands

beyond the sea. To the southeast is Cum-

mington, and the wild roadway of doubt

over which young Bryant saw the

immortal flight of a water-fowl. We boast

of Haw rae, and Hoimes, and Long-

"Freedom o' Faith" and "Appeal to Life."

Their foundations were laid there at

North Adams, where Washington Gladden

lived. What shall I more say? Time

would fail me to speak of the hero and

monument of Bennington battle ground, of

those who moved mountains by the

Hoesac tunnel, and of our gigantic manu-

facturing establishments. I shall not

forget Dr. Todd and old Dr. Humphrey,

who, I am told, "subdued kingdoms" and "stopped the mouths of lions.

"Remember old Greylock was the Amer-

ican Indian's first refuge, when pursued

as a Phinistine by the people of a prom-

used land. Across these ragged ledges at

night the legitive slave sped northward,

when vested valley and church interests

afforded him little sid in his flight to Can-

ada. Greylock still stands for ethics, Di-

vine and human: Divine, since its summit

is cloud-capped and cool; human, because

its long, strong arms are underneath the

busy population at its base. If we were

brew style and Greylock spirit: 'Oh, Ad-

ams, that bringeth good tidings, get thee

up into the high mountain. Oh, Berk-

shire, that bringeth good tidings, lift up

thy voice with strength, lift it up, be not

afraid, say unto the people of America,

JUNPED ONTHE HORSE'S BACK

behold your God."

You have read Munger's

that his summer rest should be broken, or taken nearer to the heat of battle. That hero is Henry Ward Beecher. Another reformer came from Lenox; Charles H. Parkhurst, who once encouraged the timid servants of the Lord by saying "Oh, the power of bird-shot, when the Lord holds the muzzle." You would not allow me to omit that on this height you can understand how home missions extended from

evening.

at three o'clock this afternoon, Rev. Mr. Boyce officiating. Interment was at Bellevue cemetery. The Berkshire Dramatic society will

hold their first concert and hop at the Opera house Friday evening.

The first concert and social of the local oranch of the National Loomfixer's association will be held at the opera house this evening. Mitchell & Carr, the colored minstrels, will be the principal atraction. Palmer's orchestra will play for the dance and Duffy of Pittsfield will prompt. A special electric car will run o North Adams at 3 o'clock Saturday

stopped at the Goodell house the past C. E. Deyo & Son opened their bottling establishment in J. M. Montgomery'

The ladies of the Universalist ecciety will present an old-time merry-making at the opera house Friday evening, May S, at 8 o'clock. The following program will be rendered: Winding of the May pole by the little ones; the Gypsy Milknaid, flower and other fancy dances. Mr. William Brice will dance the highland fling in costume. General dancing will ollow and refreshments will be served. Peter McBride, who has signed to pitch for the Newport, R. I., base ball nine, will

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Bradshaw Thursday night. The Father Mathew Temperance so riety's regular monthly meeting will be

held in Temperance hall at noon Sunday, Lafayette band expects to receive its new uniform this week.

A. Mausert's large delivery wagon, ran | Dr. A. K. Boom has a new buggy.

away about noon Thursday, starting from The new police officers go on duty tothe Greylock National bank and running The new storehouse of the Berkshire down Myrtle and Pleasant streets. Near cotton company is ready for the roof. the Central house, John Bucton, Jr., a boarder ran behind the wagon and jump-Messrs. Morrissey & Shea are pushing work rapidly on the new St. Charles ing in sprang upon the back of one of the

CHESHIRE

church.

horses and stopped the pair. No damage

THE SPEAKERS SELECTED

For the Coming Banquet of the Adams

Fire Department.

banquet in honor of the Alert hose com-

occurs May 19 met Thursday evening and

decided to ask these gentlemen to speak:

chief engineer; A. B. Mole, the first fore-

man and F. H. B. Munson, the first secre-

tary of the company; James Renfrew, W.

B. Plunkett, David D. Bowen, James P.

Magenis, Elisha Burlingame, President of

F. W. Spaulding, W. P. Beckwith, Fred

R. Shaw, W. B. Green, Daniel Upton,

Calvin Richmond, J. C. Anthony, James

R. Picketi, H. O. Hicks, F. E. Mole, R. N.

Richmond, C. F. Smith, William O'Brien,

John Ingraham and B. F. Phillips.

Tickets were distributed among the fire

men and they will begin selling them at

once. The committee considered the

matter of opening the gallery of the opera

SETTLED AT LAST.

The Wrangling Finally Ended and

Licenses Granted.

The selectmen awarded the remaining

two liquor licenses, over which there was

so much wrangling, Tuesday evening, as

Emil Scholz. Henry F. Barrett's license

was transferred from Myrtle street to Ren-

ANOTHER STRIKE.

Not Union Troubles this Time. They

Want More Pay.

Seven mon employed in hoisting

work Wednesday and demanded more

hour and working fifty-eight hours a

week. Their wages amounted to \$106 a

POLICE STATION SITE.

The police station committee met in

Judge Bixby's office Thursday evening to

act on the report which will be submitted

of ground in the rear of the town building

evening, plans and specifications for the

pattern and with the most improved con-

TWO BUSINESS VENTURES.

veniences, will be decided upon.

new building, which will be of the latest

for a site, and at a final meeting Saturday

frew. All the new places opened today.

house for ladies.

The Hoosac Valley house will not be taken by the new landlord till some time next week, or when Mr. Blush obtains new The committee in charge of the coming furthiture for the house.

The barber shop of Henry Roncoe was pany's twentieth anniversary which broken into Thursday night by thieves who made their entrance by breaking a pane of glass. His sign-pole and a few L. L. Brown, the fire department's first small articles were taken.

The funeral services of Mrs. J. G. Northrup were largely attended. The

casket was covered with flowers, showing the lasting respect for her memory. Charles Getman will build a few feet to the Senate Lawrence, James C. Chalmers, the front of his store, and will put in a line support. of groceries in addition to his candy and

> The reservoir is full and has to be kept lown to avoid the washing of the track. Miss Minnie Chapman has returned from a stay at New York and New Jersey.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

SPECIAL FIRE DIST. MEETING.

At the special meeting of the fire district, held in Waterman & Moore's opera house Thursday afternoon, W. L. Crosier was chosen chief of the hose company. An appropriation of some over \$2900 was made. A committee was appointed to ascertain the amount of damage done Water street by the overflow of water last spring.

follows: Kirchner & Scholz, Herman hall, Spring street; Charles Le Riche, corner of The dust is very thick the entire length of Main street and Cole avenue. Where Pleasant and Spring streets. The Herman hall firm comprises August Kirchner and is the street sprinkler?

There will be a graphophone entertainment in the Congregotional lecture room this evening at 8 o'clock. Admission'20

Dr. A. M. Smith attended the annual meeting of the Berkshire Medical association in Pittsfield Thursday afternoon. Harvard will play Williams on Weston

field Saturday afternoon at 2.00 o'clock. Gravel is being drawn on Southworth machinery at the new Berkshire mill quit wenue and the street railway is being epaired. pay. The men received eleven cents an

The second assembly dance was held in Grange hall Thursday evening.

The junior rhetoricals for the moonlight speaking contest were held Thursday evening, in Alumni Hall, at 8 o'clock. Drs. Lefavour and Peck and Prof. Morton ere the judges.

Norman L. Sweet, 79 years of age, died at his home in South Williamstown, Tuesday, of catarrhal pneumonia, after an illness of two weeks. Mr. Sweet was born in South Williamstown, and for many years has occupied the old farm near the Sherwood school house. Mr. Sweet is survived by one son. The funeral occurred Thursday afternoon at South Wil-

READSBORO ITEMS.

-Rev. C. E. Cahee is able to be out of

-Mrs. A. G. Fay is able to be around

-Miss Maud Wilson is quite sick at her

-C. J. Bailey was up from Hoosac Tun-

-C. H. Faulkner rides a new wheel

....N Rescuet has been quite seriously

over Sunday with his brother, M. W.

-Byron Boyd is happy in the possession

of a new bicycle which he purchased of

--T. D. Goodell attended the banquet

-Mrs. Ira Mason of Plainfield, Mass., is

stopping with her daughter, Mrs. H. E.

...S. B. Dibble and P. G. Carpenter were

-Edward Madison of North Adams was

Mrs. Phoebe Hicks went to North Ad-

-Harrington's newspaper and job print-

ing office has a new sign up, the work of

-Frank Harris and wife have moved to

-H. E. Parsons has sold six bicycles

-Miss Lottie Cahee has been in Wash-

_Twenty-three traveling men have

week besides a good many who did not

-Several invited guests enjoyed a sugar

...The Baptist church bell will ring at 9

o'clock Sunday mornings in the future.

_J. E. Sheldon has his new blacksmith

shop nearly finished. Part of the shop

_The listers will hold a grievance

meeting May 5 and all who think thev

have been used unfairly are expected to

will be used for woodworking and the rest

will be used for blacksmithing.

This will remind everyone of what they

eat at G. M. Bemis' Friday evening. Snow

ington for several weeks and will spend

the summer in that vicinity, so we learn.

thus far this season and expects to sell

town from Heath. Mr. Harris is a brother

ams Tuesday on a visit to friends and re-

in town Monday and Tuesday of this

in town last week Wednesday and Thurs-

of the board of trade at North Adams

J. M. Frost, who has for a long time -G. M. Bemis has gone into the meat conducted the meat market of his brother business. A. L. Frost, on Park street, has opened a -The Goodell house is receiving a new shop for himself in the basement of D. R. coat of paint.

loors once more.

the house once more.

home in Whitingham.

nel two days last week.

purchased of H. E. Parsons.

town the first of the week.

L. H. Crosier's agency.

Friday evening.

Brown.

day.

week.

William Chicester.

of Mrs. Antonio Cretty.

at least another half dozen.

...D. M. Wheeler of Worcester

J. E. Sheldon purchased a nic

sick but is better at this writing.

Smith's block on Center street. -N. B. Flood of North Adams was in Thomas and Robert Nimons, two promtown Tuesday. inent young citizens will start in the tea -M.O. Hicks lost one of his stable business next week under the firm name horses Monday, of Nimons brothers.

THE MEMORIAL BUILDING.

The Memorial building committee met at the town hall Thursday evening and appointed this committee to select a site and report at a meeting to be called any time they may desire: W. P. Beckwith, F. W. Spaulding, Dr. D. E. Thayer, F. E. Mole, Henry L. Harrington, James C. Chalmers and William C. Ainslie.

HOSE EXHIBITION.

Chief engineer Henry A. Jones of the fire department, will exhibit on the square at the junction of Myrtle. Commercial and pupil, James H. Fairchild, who truly says | Center streets, Saturday afternoon, the Siamese triple-way hose, invented by himhere is a plain log but it had Mark self. The exhibition is sure to be an interesting one and will probably be witnessed by many people.

GODFRIED LANGNER.

Godfried Languer formerly of this town died at Greylock Thursday after a short illness. His funeral will occur from the home of his son on Beech street Saturday

The St. Jean Baptiste society's fair will be resumed this evening and many articles will be awarded.

Rev. Fr. Kenney of Pittsfield will reach the sermon at the Sacred Heart eague's services in St. Charles church this

The funeral of the late Mrs. Esther Place was held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Julia Avery at Zylonite latives.

register. building on Pleasant street today. is still obtainable though it requires some

eave to join the team Wednesday.

be present and present their case. -Will Bishop of North Adams, who has been on the Fitchburg railroad for the past ten years, was in town Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. Bishop.

little effort.

ought to do.

has carried on the harness business here ...The residence of Charles Girouard has gone to Shaftsbury, Vt., where he has looks nicely in its new cost of paint, and bought a farm.

that of Henry Douglass is greatly improved in appearance by its new dress of

-Edward Jewell has given his son-in law, E. O. Harris, a deed of all his property and Mr. Harris will take care of Mr. Northagipton where he has found work on the electric road. Jewell and wife through the remainder of their lives.

-Three fishermen tried their luck in Newton's pond Saturday and one of them set his fish pole. He left it for a few minutes and when he returned the pole was out in the middle of the pond with a fish attached. The only mystery about it is, such blg fish. Or, is this just a fish story?

-The case of Julia H. Burnham against Will Burnham for divorce now being tried at Greenfield is of local interest. The parties were married in Readshore a few years ago and Mr. Burnham was in town a great deal with his brother Fred. Mr. Burnham is in parts unknown and Mrs. Burnham seeks a divorce for non-

-- The Readsboro city band held a social dence at Monroe Bridge Friday evening which was attended by about twenty-five couples. Music was furnished by the Readsboro orchestra of nine pieces and a pleasant time was had. The Monroe Bridge people did their share to make the dance a success but there was not a large at andance from this village.

-Jason P. Lord, who is now very sick at his home in South Readsboro, was one of the selectmen of Readsboro during war time. A. N. Hicks of Cambridge, Mass., writes that at the time he enlisted-September 1832—the selectmen were, Silas Mason, Appolas Bailey and J. P. Lord, and of these all are alive except Mr. Bailey. Mr. Mason is still in vigorous health, but Mr. Lord is well above eighty and in very feeble health. There are not many of these officials alive at the present time which shows that time has not dealt kindly with most of them.

-Tuesday Joseph Jarvis sold the Winslow J. Dix house situated a short distance below his residence to E. Barre. Mr. Barre will now have a home of his own.

MONROE.

Miss Angie Ballou has gone to Greenfield to spend a few weeks. Mrs. S. R. Tower and children are visite

ing at Austerlitz, N. Y.

Readsboro, Vt., Friday.

Emmet Bassett has taken Henry Turner's farm to work on shares. The West school commenced last week Tuesday with Miss Ferrill of Waltham as

teacher. E. J. Stafford visited friends in Bennington last week. Mr. Thompson of Bennington who has

been spending the winter in town returned to his home Saturday of last week. Rev. H. W. Chamberlin, wife and daughter, visited Rev. R. F. Alger in

R. S. Tower is taking a vacation and visiting with friends in New York. Whoever knew the snow to leave so quickly and the ground dried sufficiently to out in seeds as it has this spring? Joseph Wright of Dalton is making a

flying visit in town calling on old friends and visiting his grandmother Mrs. Katherine Davis. Miss Ella Sherman is home from Green field for a few days this week. Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Sherman visited in

Charlemont this week Friday and Satur-MONROE BRIDGE.

W. R. Goldthwaite of Readsboro, was in town Senday. James Ramage of Holyoke was in town the past week.

Miss Minnie Fay is working for Mrs. W. Kingsley. George LaBelle of Readsbore has finished work for the Ramage paper com-

pany. Angle Ballou has returned to her work in Greenfield. Miss Lottie Brown has finished work for

Mrs. W. Kingsley and has returned to her home in Ruadsboro to attend school. Mrs. B. E. Goldthwaite is working for Mrs. William Turner.

Hertha Goldthwaite spent the past week years-old horse Monday. It is a good one. with her sister, Mrs. J. A. Williams in _J. G. Brown of Shelburne Falls visited | Readshore,

D. Oaks and W. Moors are working for W. Kingsley.

HOOSAC TUNNEL.

Loe Aldrigh and Ins. C. Williams have

opened dress-making and millinery rooms in the new Newman block. Special attention is given to morning callers. Miss Min Fay has returned from Whitingham.

Mrs. Frank Becker of Kinderhook. N. Y., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phomas Galbraith.

Mrs. M. M. Hoganand family have gone to New York for a few weeks.

FLORIDA.

The Ladies' Aid society has bought new cushions for the Baptist church and will meet this week to arrange for the cleaning of the house, decide on repairs of stoves, etc., and give the church edifice a regulation spring furbishing.

H. Dickerson of North Adams has rented

the Sumner place. J. H. Sumner will move to Adams May 1. The Dickerson family will move in this week. The Sabbath school at the No. 2 school

ouse will reorganize next Sunday, May 3. This will be its first session this sea-Miss Mary Temple is now helping Mrs.

A. Tower and will remain with her for some time. Business meeting at the Baptist church gaturday May 2 after the usual Covenan Hon, E A. Hall, . . . Pres. meeting. It is important that all should be present.

CHARLEMONT.

C. P. C. Miner has been visiting friends Miss S. F. Warner had her millinery opening last week. A full line of millinery

oods can be seen at her store on Main street. C. H. Leavitt has been drawn to serv on jury at this term of court. J. D. Lake gathers the cream in Hawley, Savoy and Charlemont for the Charlemont

P. S. Tolman was called to Leominster last week on account of the death of his mother. . N. Saunders who for the last five years

The best salve in the works for cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Sait Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Burlingame and Darby

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Will Hicks has moved into the tenement

vacated by Mr. Saunders in Bemis block.

Mr. Partridge has moved to the tens-

L. Gould will soon move his family to

The Frary's zee doing a thriving busi-

with white birch and it is still coming in.

The best salve in the world for Cuts.

Their yard is full to overflowing

nent owned by Mrs. Mason.

To All Persons Liable to Fay Taxes in the City of North Adams Mass., for the Current Year.

The assessors of said city of North Adams hereby give notice to all persons liable to pay taxes therein, that their office on second floor of the North Adams Savings Bank building on Main street, will be open on Monday, May 4, 1896, from 9 to 12 a. m. and from 2 to 5 p. m. and from 7 to 9 p. m., and all persons liable to pay taxes in said city are required to bring to us, during said time, and at said office. true and correct lists of all polls, schedules and estimates of all real and personal property for which they are liable to pay

When a person has failed to bring in a list of said taxable property in conformity with this notice, no abatement of taxes assessed upon such person for personal property, can be granted, unless such taxes exceed by more than fifty per cent the amount which would have been assessed to that person on said property, if he had sessonably and in conformity with this notice, brought in said list; and if said taxes exceed by more than 50 per cent the said amount, the abatement shail be only of the excess above the 50 per cent.-Public Statutes, Chapter 11, Sec-

Persons holding estates in trust, whether for minors or otherwise, and executors and administrators of unsettled estates, are especially requested to furnish a true statement-in relation to such estates to the assessors at the aforesaid time and

When estates in trust or estates of persons deceased have been divided during the past year, or have changed hands from other causes, the trustee, executor and administrator, or other persons interested, are required and warned to give notice of such change, and in default of such notice will be held to pay the tax assessed, although such estate has been wholly distributed or paid over.

Any mortgagor or mortgagee of real cstate may bring in to the assessor of the town or city where such real estate is located, within the time specified in this notice, a statement under oath of the amount due on each separate lot or parcel of such real estate, and the name and residence of each holder of an interest therein as a mortgages or mortgagor.

When such property is situated in two or more places, or where a recorded mortgage included for one, two or more estates or parts of an estate, an estimate of the amount of the mortgagee's interest in such estate or part of an estate, shall be given in such statement on such real estate. The assessors shall from such statement or otherwise ascertain the proportionate parts of such real estate that are the interest of mortgagors and mortgagees respectively, and shall assess the same. Whenever in any case of mortgaged real estate, a statement is not brought in as herein provided, no tax for the current year, shall be invalidated on such real estate for the reason that a mortgagee's interest therein has not been assessed to

him.—Chanter 175, Section 1, Acts of 1892 When a statement in conformity to the law above quoted is brought in, the real estate therein returned will be assessed under Sections 14, 15 and 16, of Chapter 11 corporations holding real or personal estate for literary, or benevolent, charitable or scientific purposes, are also hereby re quired to bring in to us, during said time and at said place true lists of all real and personal estate held on the first day of May, 1898, by such persons and corporations respectively, for the purposes aforesold together with the statements of the amounts of all receipts and expenditures by such person or corporations for said purposes during the year next preceeding said first day of May, 1896. Such lists and statements to be in such detail as may be required by the tax commissioner. Willful omission to bring in the lists and statements of real and personal estate as herein required in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1882. will subject such estate to taxation for the then current year.

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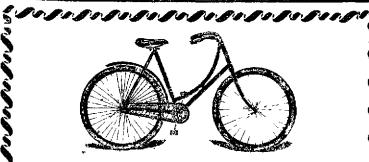
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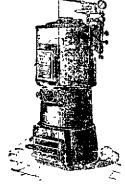
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Celebration at Springfield.

SENATOR CULLOM'S DEFEAT CRUSHING

Even the Ohio Mant's Friends Surprised at the Magnitude of Their Success at the Illinois Cou-

Springfield, Ill., May 1.-The Mc-Kinley supporters had undisputed pos-session of this city last night celebrating with bands and banners, glee clubs, torches, red fire and songs of triumph their great victory over the Cullomites in convention yesterday afternoon, and indeed it was a victory to be proud of. It was late in the afternoon when the opponents of the Ohio man of the friends of ex-Gov. McKinley. By a majority of 329 in a total vote of 1.335-a majority as unexpected to the supporters of the Ohioan as it was staggering to Senator Callom and his friends-the republican state convention instructed the four delegates-atlarge from Illinois to the St. Louis convention, not merely to vote for and support the Ohio candidate. but actu-"to present his name to that body as the candidate and choice of Illinois for the presidential nomination."

Crushing Defeat for Senator Cullom. It is true that the form in which the resolution was adopted-the substitution of McKinley's name in the Cullom resolution-was due to the over-zeal of a delegate who anticipated the regular McKi iley indorsement which was to have been presented by the spokesman of his following-but in the enthusiasm and a proper that attended the contest between the two factions it was lost to consideration and as a result by the record as it stands, the Illinois delegation o St. Louis may, should it see fit to carry out its instructions to the letter, claim a share with the Buckeyes in pescuting to the convention the favorite son of Ohio. That the outcome was a crushing defent for Senator Cul-Iom and the Chicago element that for fast n its iron grip is conceded alike of votes for the surious candidates on the defeated faction to defeat a free expression of McKinley element. It captured the committees and dictated the principal nominations and up to within an hour of the crucial test even

the McKinlevites were almost willing

to confess that their fight had been

Stampede for McKinley. The turning point came when the candidate for auditor, who was especially championed by an anti-Catholic organization and to whom the machine pledged its full support, was defeated by a one-armed veteran of the wai by less than a baker's dozen of votes. The sentiment attached to the old blue uniform had more to do with the result than any other consideration. But the friends of the defeated candidate, and they rau up into the hundreds, charged treachery upon the machine. From the moment that the result of the ballot was declared it was evident the opposition had lost its fields. The garrison repulsed the atgrip, and when the opportune moment arrived not only did the delegates who had received instructions or indorsements stand to their guns, but the uninstructed brigades poured broadside after broadside into the anti-McKinley ranks. Before the last county had recorded its vote the majority of the opposition was tumbling over itself in its enverness to secure seats in the band

WORD FROM A MISSING MAN.

cleared up. Letters have just been rece ved from him by president H. C. Nelson of the First National bank and S. M. Sherwood, president of the Sing Sing Savings bank, dated Caracas, Venezuela, in which he says he is heartbroken in a strange country, w thout money and without friends, by that he hopes to be able in the of ar future to return and pay his friends the money that he owes them. Nonon was for thirty-six years cashier of the National bank and Savings bank of this city. When he disappeared his accounts in both banks were found to

be perfectly straight. Last of the Scaling Pleet Arrives.

St. Johns, N. F., May 1.-The steamship Aurora, the last of the scaling fleet, arrived from the fishery last night. She had 7,000 seals. This closes the fishery this year, with a total catch of 200,000 seals, of the value of \$500,-000, against 270,000 last year. This year's catch was a great deal better than it was at first expected.

Accounts Short; Man Missing. Baltimore, May. 1,-Herman Degen, agent of the Germania Fire Insurance company and secretary of the Standard and People's building associations, disappeared from his boarding house on West Gorman street Sunday. Developments have shown that he is

about \$7,500. Says Salisbury Will Not Retire.

London, May 1.-The Pail Mall Ga foreign office owing to failing health. He was never in better health, the paper says, and never more eager for

Mrs. Pitzpatrick and Daughter May Die. New Haven, Conn., May 1.-It is believed that Mrs. John Titzpatrick and her daughter Sadie, who were badly mpered by being thrown from their hight wagon yesterday, cannot recover. Mamie, another daughter, who was also injured, is resting quietly.

Ex-Senator Platt's Son Promoted .

Washington, May 1.—E. T. Platt, sinking. son of ex-Senator Thomas C. Platt, who has been the Washington agent of the United States Express company, has been promoted and will have charge of the interests of that company in New ives, is seriously ill in this city. Jersey and adjacent territory.

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FINES AND BANISHMENT EXPECTED

Trials Regarded as a Matter of Serious Concern—Hammond

in Ill Health. Havana, May 1.-- A dynamits bomb caused the explosion in the captaingeneral's palace Tuesday, and not a gas engine as reported. The noise was tremendous and caused intense excitement in the palace and vicinity. The generals and officers rushed about given dent, has sent messages of sympathy ing orders. Even Weyler left the room to the families of the condemned men, greatly excited. Only one person was hurt. The others escaped miraculously. capitulated before a terrific ouslaught | The whole palace shook by the force of the friends of ex-Gov. McKinley, of the explosion. Clouds of dust blinded all persons inside. The bomb from the Transvaal. One rumor cur-destroyed two safes. The bomb was rent is that President Kruger has deplaced in a closet at the southeast corner of the palace. It is believed to be the work of laborers in sympathy ment at the end of that term of impris-with the insurgents. The government onment, on Hammond, Rhodes and the says anarchists did it. The police are making a diligent search. Strong sontence of death was remitted.

measures will be adopted to prevent a Hammond in Ill Health. repetition of similar acts, as all the officiols, including Weyler himself, are in a state bordering on terror.

Gomez, with a Strong Force, Advancing. now reported he has entered Matanzas Curtis, the mining engineer of New provinces with a strong force of ten or welve thousand men, five pieces of affection of the brain. The leaders artillery and plenty of ammunition. It who were condemned to death are conboth sides in combination with Macco are visited by crowds of their relatives will follow and hot fighting is ex- and friends. pected. News of a bloody battle near Zanja, province of Santiago de Cuba, has been received. Gen. Munez tried to prevent Gen. Calixto Garcia from crossing the Canto river. Munez or-ganized a strong land column and ernment for total abolition of the senordering gunboats to proceed to tenees of imprisonment imposed upon Co-operate, left Manzanille to intercept Garcia. The latter, with Rabi's column, condemned by the high court at Pretomade a junction with the forces of ria. Maria Rodriguez from Camaguey. year, has held the republican party The combined insurgent forces attacked Munez as he was advancing by vanquished and victors. All that and defeated him. Munez lost over good generalship, influence and trading | 200 killed and 400 wounded. But for the gunboats, Munez's column would the tate ticket could do was done by have been destroyed. Munez retreated to Manzanillo, and Garcia is now operating without opposition. News from Government Sources.

Havana, May 1.-Col. Ardanaz has arrived at Holguin. He reports that his command had two engagements with rebels near Zanja and Caibaguan. The insurgents had many killed and wounded. The troops had three men wounded. killed and two officers and fifteen privates wounded. Capt. Pozo, commanding the Palma guerrillas, who captured two men belonging to the Laborde expedition, had a hot fight with rebels near Rio Blanco. Capt. Pozo was seriously wounded. A lieutenunt was slightly wounded and one of the guerrillas was killed. The rebels lost seven killed and many wounded. A rebel band commanded by Bundera attacked the town of Artemisa, which is situated on the military line across the island. They burned a few huts and the neighboring canetack from the trenches, using artillery. The troops had two wounded. News reaches here of an important battle on Friday last between Col. Segura's com mand and rebels under Robau. Nunez and Zayas about four leagues southwest of Sagua la Grande. No details hav been made public. Consul General Williams vesterday visted Captain-General Weyler and the marine authorities on behalf of the Americans alleged to have been captured on the Beak Cashier Novom of Sing Sing Heart | filibustering schooner Competitor, which was seized on Tuesday off the Sing Sing, N. Y., May 1.—The mystery surrounding the disappearace of cashier Isaac B. Noxon has at last been ing that the consulate was no news ing that the consulate was no news

agency. New York Newspaper Consolidation, Albany, May 1.-The Times-Recorder company of New York city, a consoli-dation of the New York Times and the New York Recorder, has been incorporated with the secretary of state. The capital stock is \$2,500,000, divided into \$100 shures. The company is to begin business with \$3,000 cash capital. The directors are Anton J. Dittmar Theodore L. Herrmann, Theodore II Lord of New York city; Wilson P. Marchbank of Newark, N. J., and William C. Taylor of Brooklyn.

Bourke Cockran's Injuries.

New York, May 1.-At Bourke Cockran's residence this morning it accident than he suffered last night. Mr. Cockran's physician said that his patient's hip was badly bruised and that the tendons of the leg were sprained. He also said that Mr. Cockran would be able to attend to his usua, duties in about a week or

Many Private Bequests to Charity. Boston, May 1.—By the will of Mrs. Ann W. Dickinson, who lived for many years on Boylston street, this city, many private bequests varying from \$1,000 to \$10,000 are made. The remainder of short in his accounts to the amount of the estate, if there be any, is to be given to George T Angell as president of the American Humane Education

THREE HUNDRED DROWNED. Terrible Result of the Collision Between

the On Wo and New Chwang. London, May 1 .-- It is now believed that fully 300 persons were drowned as the result of the collision between the British ships On Wo and New Chwang off Woo Sung, ten miles north of Shanghai. The European survivors of the sunken vessel are Second Officer Cooper and Third Engineer Allen. The United States warships Olympia, Boston, Yorktown and Detroit sent boats to the assistance of the On Wo and saved many lives. The On Wo went down immediately and the New dent of the United States. Gen. Hor-Chwang was beached to prevent her

Cardinal Calimberti Seriously III. Rome, May 1.—Cardinal Luigi Galimberti, prefect of the pontifical arch-

WEATHER FORECAST. M'KINLEY'S VICTORY KRUGER'S PRISONERS IT WAS DYNAMITE

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Havana Not an Accident.

The Cipher Dispatches Brought Out at the | The Work New Attributed to Friends o the Insurgents-Gomez with a

WEYLER IN A STATE OF TERROR

Strong and Well-equipped Force Advancing. London, May 1.-A dispatch from Pretoria this morning says that all kinds of rumors as to the probable sentences that the condemned reform union leaders will receive are in circulation. Mrs. Kruger, wife of the presiand the belief grows that the ultimate decision of the executive council will be to impose heavy fines on the four been to witness them? The faces of important prisoners and banish them cided to impose the penalty of five years' penal servitude, with banishother reform committee leaders whose

London, May 1.- A dispatch to the Times from Pretoria, dated April 29, says that the health of John Hays Hammond is in such a state as to cause Gomez's advance is confirmed. It is great anxiety to his friends. J. S. York, is confined to his room with an

> Petitions for Full Pardons. Johannesburg, May 1.—The Diggers' News says that influential burghers from all parts of the Transvani have the members of the reform committee

Alligation of Serious Concern. London, May 1.—The British press. the South Africa company's charter.

WORK OF SPOTTERS. Charges Preferred Against Fifteen, Boston

Letter Carriers. Boston, May 1.-There has been recoived from the postmaster general's office at Washington letters addressed to fifteen carriers in this district notifying them that charges had been pre-

charges are considered trivial, but morning from any quarter. whether or not the carriers will be summarily removed from their positions will not be known until after they have forwarded their replies to Washington.

FOR ASSAULTING NEW MEN. Speedy Conviction and Sentence of Several

Philadelphia Traction Employes. Philadelphia, May 1.-James Campbell, Wallace McGee, Joseph Dinsmore and Nicholas Walther, motormen of the Union Traction company who were arrested on Saturday night for assaultquickly indicted, were arraigned before Judge Yerkes in the quarter sessions court yesterday. Campbell was tried first and the jury convicted him without leaving the box. He was sentensed to two years' imprisonment in the Eastern penitentiary. Walther pleaded guilty but he was ill and for this rea Monday. McGee and Dinsmore also pleaded guilty. Thomas Pillion, who was also indicted, was not tried.

LOTHAIRE ACQUITTED.

The Belgian Officer Tried for Excouting

Stokes, the Wealthy English Trader. Brussels, May 1.-Capt. Lothaire, the Belgian officer who has been on trial for the alleged illegal hanging in the Congo Free State of Stokes, the wealthy was stated that he was feeling a little English trader, who is said to have sold less pain from the effects of his bicycle arms and ammuition to the natives. has been acquitted.

Regulations for Otter Hunters.

Washington, May 1.-The treasury department regulations in regard to hunting for sea otters and other fur bearing animals, issued yesterday, provides that every vessel so engaged must have a special license, no steam vessels can engage in the business within territorial waters, and captains must file a special manifest with the collector of the port before discharg ing cargo.

Cardinal Satolli Entertained. Washington, May 1.—Cardinal Satolli attended a reception last evening ten-dered by the faculty and students of Georgetown university at which a number of distinguished guests were

presented to the cardinal on the eye

of his departure for Rome. William Taylor Hauged, Carrollton, Mo., May 1.—William Taylor, who murdered the Meeks family some time ago, was hanged here yesterday.

Anniversary of Washington's Inauguratio Richmond, Va., May 1.—The national society of the Sons of the American Revolution met here yesterday and observed the anniversary of of the first inauguration of Washington as presi-

ace Porter, president-general, presided at the meeting. Danielson's Fire. Danielson, Conn., May 1.-The fire here yesterday afterneon destroyed

ARMENIAN RELIEF. Report of Hospital Work at Corfe-8,000 People Killed.

New York, May 1.—The following report, under date of March 22, of relief work at Qorfa has just been re crived by the national Armenian relies committee in this city: "The hospital which we have opened is in a house of five rooms that have been newly built with good carpentry, glass windows, etc. It was completely wrecked, every room battered and blood bespatteredall the inmates were killed. Our patients are doing well. But only a small part of those who apply can be received. From our distributing house over 6,000 articles, such as dishes and pieces of clothing, have been given out. Our committee this week learned of a family of forty-one members nelonging to six brothers, of which every member was wiped out. It is simply terrible to listen to the secounts of the massacre; what must it have the women with their helpless little ones, tell volumes. Many have no more tears to shed, are calm, but their sorrow has a depth which God grant we may never know. The hardest of all is to refuse work for the many women who beg for it. We can only employ about 300 making cloth in our industrial department. The number killed here has been given too few, in the desire of not overstating. It is now clear that 7,000, if not 8,000, were killed in Oorfa." In Aid of Suffering Armenians.

New York, May 1.-In view of the

great and continued suffering in Turkey and the critical condition of the relief work, Rev. B. Fay Mills, the well known evangelist, has consented, at is presumed an attack on the trocha on fined in one small room, where they the request of the national Armenian relief committee, to hold a series of meetings in the interest of relief cause in a number of the larger cities, beginning about the middle of this month.

EARL GREY IN BULUWAYO. No Further Danger of an Attack by the Matabeles.

Buluwayo, Matabeleland, May 1 .--Earl Grey, co-administrator with Cecil Rhodes of the territory of the British Chartered South African company, has arrived here with a strong escort. The recent actions with the insurgent Magenerally, commenting on the series of | tabeles have resulted in inflicting such cipher telegrams that were entered as severe loss upon them that Buluwayo evidence at the trial of the reform com- is looked upon as being practically remittee at Pretoria, which it is claimed lieved, and it is no longer likely that showed beyond any doubt that the the natives will attack the town in raid of Dr. Jameson was the outcome force, although they still number more of a carefully prearranged plan on the than 15,000 armed men in this vicinity. part of certain members of the South 'A Matabele deserter who reached here Africa company to seize a part of the yesterday stated that acute dissension Transvasi, considers the disclosures a prevailed among the hostiles and that matter of serious concern, and one the rest of the tribe threaten to wipe paper declares that England will have out the Sekuti, Imbezu and other regito face a demand for the revocation of ments. The Imbezus, it is said, are threatening their "God" for not having fulfilled his promise to turn the bullets of the whites into water.

> THE PHILADELPHIA STRIKE. Not Many Men Out-The City Quiet This

Morning. Philadelphia, May 1.-The srrike leaders claim that many more men are out than the Union Traction company ferred against them by the special officials admit and assert that more will agents, inspectors or "spotters" who go out when the official notices are have been in this district for the past posted in the division headquarters. six weeks. The letters were addressed At present the Traction company peopersonally to the carriers, and it is not ple assert that not more than 250 men known at present who received them. have recognized the call. Along the That there are fifteen, however, is lines of the different roads all is quiet, known. As far as can be learned the and no disturbances are reported this

> To Prevent Threatened Gold Exports. Washington, May 1 .- The order of Secretary Carlisle calling upon New York banks to pay into the treasury \$3,000,000 in gold held by them, which was deposited in part payment for the last issue of government bonds, was issued in the hope of preventing threatened gold exports.

Delegates to Chicago Uninstructed. gressional district democratic convening non-union employes, and who were tion yesterday elected delegates and alternates to the Chicago convention, The delegates were not instructed.

> Confirmed by the Senate. Washington, May 1.—The senate has confirmed the following nominations

of postmasters: Massachusetts-M. F. nroy, Franklin; M. F. Burns, Wolson the court postponed sentence until laston; J. J. Whetton, Highlandsville. NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat-Spot steady, but trade quiet. April, 70%c., May, 70%c., July, Corn-Spot dull and prices uncertain.

April, 35%c.; May, 35%c. Oats—Spot quiet; irregular demand, May, 24c.; July, 24%c. Pork—Spot steady; trade moderate.

Extra prime, nominal, short clear, \$10.50@\$12 00; family, \$10.25@\$10.50;

mess, \$9.00@\$10.00 Lard-Contracts are dull; low prices. May, \$5.00.

Butter—Fancy creamery in light supply; prices steady. Creamery, new. western extras, 15 /(c.; state and Pennsylvania, seconds to best, 14@15c.; creamery, western seconds, 13%@14c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh, factory, 12c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, seconds to firsts, 11(912), western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 91/2 111/@c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 9@9%c.

Cheese-Home trade light, fancy stock bringing former prices. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, choice, 9%c.; late made, choice, 8%@9%c.; large, common to choice, 7@8⅓¢.

Eggs-Market quiet and weak. State and Pennsylvania, extra, fresh, 11@ 12c.; southern, 10c.; western, fresh. 10@ 11c.; duck, 121/@181/c.; goose, Potatoes-Old potatoes are moving slowly and the market is weak at

former low prices. State rose, per double head barrel, 85c.@\$1; Hebron, per double head baserel, 70@85c. Moore Held in \$1,000 Ball.

in \$1,000 bail for the superior court on the charge of assaulting a little daughter of Charles H. Mills, chief engineer of the Massachusetts highway commis

Warren Fisher Dead.

Boston, May 1.-Warren Fisher, who came into prominence in 1876 through his connection with the investigation a whole block, causing a less of of charges aimed at James G. Blaine, Cincinnati game postponed on account as conditions of rain.

TO VOTE TO-MORROW

House Will Then Decide the Fate of the Bankruptcy Bill.

THREE ELECTION CASES DECIDED

Populist Schator Allen Predicts Collapse of Both the Democratic and Republican Parties-No Progress on the Naval Bill.

Washington, May 1.—The house is o-day still engaged in the consideration of the bankruptey bill, a vote on the passage of which is to be taken tomorrow. Yesterday's debute consumed fully five hours, the principal speakers being Messrs. Dearmon, dem., Mo.; Tawney, rep., Minn., and Bailey, Cem., Tex., against the bill and Messrs. Burton, rep., Me.; Culberson, dem., Tex. and Ray, rep., N. Y., in favor of the bill. The latter two admitted their conversion from an attitude of opposition to a bill centaining the involuntary feature. The discussion developed the fact that the house was practically unanimous in favor of a bill providing for voluntary bankruptcy-the difference in opinion was as to the incorpora-tion of the involuntary feature. The house has disposed of the three contested election cases from Mississippi, adopting the resolutions reported from the elections committee confirming the title of the sitting members, Messrs. Allen, Williams and Spencer, democrats, to their scats. The contestants in these cases based their claims for the seats upon an alleged violation of the federal law regulating the representation of Mississippi in congress by the constitution of that state. The committee declined to make a declaration on that question. A bill was passed increasing the pension of Gen. Wm. Grose of Indiana from \$20 to \$75

In the Senate. No progress has been made upon the aval appropriation bill beyond the exclusion, on a point of order, of Senator Quay's amendment to increase the number of battleships from four to six. Mr. Gorman's amendment to reduce the number to two was the proposition be fore the senate when it met to-day. Speeches were made by Mr. White, dem., Cal., in favor of coast defense rather than of an increase of the navy; by Allen, pop., Neb., predicting the collapse of the democratic and republican parties-the former within three months and the latter by the 4th of March, 1901, and by Gorman, dem., Md., in enforcement of his views as to the necessity of more economy in appropria-

GERMANY AND JAPAN. A New and Liberal Commercial Treaty

Signed by the Two Countries. Washington, May 1 .- The United States ambassador at Berlin informs the state department that a new commercial treaty to continue twelve years has been signed by the repre sentatives of Germany and Japan. The text of the treaty is not yet made public, but the ambassador says it is reported that Japan has granted material reductions in duties upon manufactured articles imported from Germany, while Germany accords Japan the treatment of the "most favored nations." It is stipulated, it is said that the commercial part of the treaty may be changed in 1904, when the treaties with Austria and Russia terminate. A convention is also said to have been made in regard to patents, trade marks and on the subject of consular jurisdiction, to go into effect in

MAY TRY TO OVERRIDE IT.

A Total Disability Pension Veto Considered by House Committee. Washington, May 1.—The house com-

mittee on invalid pensions has con sidered the message of the president vetoing the bill increasing to \$50 per month the pension of a totally disabled soldier named Francis E. Hoover, formerly of Sixty-fourth Ohio volunteers Though no definite conclusion has been reached the indications were that the bill would be returned to the horse with recommendations that it pass, the president's veto notwithstanding.

Spring Shoot at Newburgh. Newburgh, N. Y., May 1 .- The three days spring tournament of the West Newburgh Gun and Rifle association began here restorday and noted shots were present from New York, Rochester, Syracuse and other cities. Ten events were shot of at clay birds and the same number is scheduled for today. To-morrow there will be three events with live pigeous.

Kinger Indicted in New Jersey. Trenton, May 1.—Emanuel Ninger, the counterfeiter now incustody in New York, has had two bills of indictment found against him for making counterfeit money at Slactown, Somer set county, New Jersey. The indictments charge him with making bills of \$20 and \$50 denominations.

O'Leary Takes the Oath of Office, Albany, May 1 .- Daniel O'Leary of spector, took the oath of office shortly after his confirmation by the senate yesterday afternoon. The new assistant factory inspector, Capt. Joseph H. Parker of New York city, was also sworn in.

Probably of Incendiary Origin. Worcester, Mass., May 1.-It is bo lieved that the fire which destroyed ex-Deputy Sheriff Swallow's house and barn yesterday in Brookfield, causing a loss of \$3,000, was of incendiary origin.

MINISTER WILLIS SERIOUSLY ILL Suffering from an Attack of Paeumonia His Condition Critical.

San Francisco, May 1.-The Hon Boston, May 1.—Judge Story of Somerville yesterday held Geo. Moore an attack of pneumonia. His condu tion is critical.

Baseball Games Yesterday.

At Brooklyn-Brooklyn, 7; Washing ton, 4. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 11; New York, 10. At Baltimore—Beston, 5; Ealtimore, 4. At Louisville-Pittsburg, 9; Louisville, 5. At Chicago -Chicago, 8: St. Louis, 3. Cleveland



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